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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2004 (Paper No. 4), the period of response to which runs through August 23, 2004 (August 21, 2004 being a Saturday), please amend the above-identified application as follows: